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## PEARL BUTTON INDUSTRY.

Experiments in Button Manu-  
facturing in Decatur by  
R. B. Richmond.

He Expects to Establish a Factory  
for the Manufacture of This  
Article Here in Case the Demo-  
crats are Defeated in November.

The McKinley duty on pearl buttons has stimulated that industry to an extent, in this country, that bids fair to remove the manufacture of pearl buttons from the prisons of Austria to the United States for the consumption of our people. This means more chances for labor in this country, and will transfer the demand for skilled work, which is almost the total cost of the button, from the criminal in foreign prisons, to the free and exalted labor of American workmen. It has not only stimulated the business as a whole, the result of which is that we have increased from eleven pearl button factories in the United States before the passage of the McKinley law, to between eighty and ninety at the present time; but it has also stimulated and induced men to venture into the business. Among the latter we have an illustration of this fact in the person of R. B. Richmond of East Eldorado street.

After the passage of the McKinley law Mr. Richmond conceived the notion that a pearl button factory in Decatur would be a profitable concern, and he quietly applied his genius to devise means and machinery for the manufacture of these buttons. His experiments so far have been highly satisfactory and he has turned out a considerable number of rich and beautiful pearl buttons of varied designs, and has satisfied himself that he can manufacture pearl buttons successfully, and sell them at a good profit for less than foreign importers taxed our people for them previous to the passage of the new tariff law.

Mr. Richmond makes his buttons from imported shells, which are very cheap, but he has also experimented with the shells found along the Sangamon river, and from them he says a cheap button can be made, but the formation is such as to render them useless for the better and larger buttons.

This venture and success on the part of Mr. Richmond is one that should and will enlist the interest of our Decatur people. A pearl button factory here would be of inestimable value to our city. It would give employment to workmen in such a factory, and this in turn would open up and confer benefits upon our merchants and professional men, and also upon other labor in other pursuits, whether working upon our streets or building houses; and in addition to this would bring the pearl button maker to our doors where we could feed and clothe him, and where he could contribute to our institutions and our churches, instead of buying the buttons from those who have heretofore made them in foreign lands where he consumed nothing that we had to sell and contributed nothing to our prosperity.

Mr. Richmond having satisfied himself of the feasibility of starting an extensive factory here, says he will certainly open up on an extensive scale if the Democratic free trade people are not successful in the coming election. If they are, such an attempt would be suicidal in face of the promised enactment of a free trade tariff, such as is proposed by that party; for such a tariff will have the effect to kill off American industries by opening our ports to the products of foreign labor—products we could and ought to make for ourselves.

It is to be hoped the Democratic party will not succeed. If it does not Decatur will have another factory, and those now running will continue to exist.

The pearl button industry is an important one, as may be seen by the fact that since the duty on them has been raised to a protective point the industry has sprung, at a bound, from eleven factories, supplying 850 persons with wages averaging from \$9 to \$12 a week, producing \$500,000 worth of buttons, to between 80 and 90 factories, employing not less than 4,000 operatives at wages averaging from \$15 to \$24 a week—with a capital of over \$1,000,000 and a production of over \$7,000,000 worth of pearl buttons a year, which are now sold to the jobber cheaper than the foreign importer sold the same buttons to the jobber before the new tariff stimulated the industry. Thomas A. Webb, who is a pearl button manufacturer at Newark, N. J., in a letter to the New York Tribune said: "The large buttons, such as are used on cloaks, have fallen 60 per cent, while the small buttons are a little higher; 60-line buttons have fallen from \$20 to \$10 per gross; 55-line, from \$15 to \$8.50; 50-line, from \$12 to \$7; 45-line, from \$8 to \$6; 40-line, from \$6 to \$5; 35-line, from \$4.50 to \$3.75; while 30-line buttons have advanced from \$2.75 per gross to \$3.75; 28-line, same price, \$2.50; 25-line, from \$1.40 to \$1.75."

We are sorry to know that the only

thing now in the way of a pearl button factory in Decatur is the Democratic free trade tariff; but that party has always been a menace to American prosperity.

## CASES IN COURT.

Settlement of the Dorr case—arrest in the Waggoner case.

Judge Bookwalter went through the law docket this morning to hear motions and adjourned court until Monday at 9 a. m.

## FOR THE COUNTY.

The jury in the two debt cases against H. W. Waggoner, ex-county clerk, and his bondsmen returned a verdict this morning in favor of the county for \$1,611.85 in first case, and for \$149.23 in second case. The defendant entered a motion for a new trial, which will be argued later.

## CHANCERY DOCKET.

Harriet J. Dorr vs. William C. Dorr, separate maintenance and injunction; motion for continuance by defendant withdrawn, and action dismissed as per stipulation on file. The wife gets \$800 and the custody of the youngest child. Edward J. Smith et al. vs. Katherine S. Smith et al., p. m. demurrer to cross bill sustained and same dismissed without prejudice. Charles Phillips vs. Besse Phillips, divorce; suit dismissed by complainant. Jasper Carver vs. Allard Carver, divorce; proof of location made. Hannal Patterson vs. Charles D. Patterson, divorce, et al. heard and decree granted. Sarah Bell et al. vs. William E. Bell et al., partition; decree pro confesso and referred to master.

Sarah M. Peck vs. George Peck; divorce, decree pro confesso.

William Bartlett vs. Dora Bartlett, divorce; decree pro confesso.

William L. Haworth vs. Kate C. Haworth, divorce, decree pro confesso.

Louie B. Runkle et al. vs. Kate B. Runkle et al.; partition. Proof of publication made.

James H. Barker vs. Nathan S. Walter, chancery. Proof of publication made.

Enos H. Nokes vs. Lucy J. Nokes; divorce. Dismissed by complainant.

Frank Seltz vs. Rosetta Seltz; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

Mary V. Bradshaw vs. Arthur J. Bradshaw; divorce. Decree pro confesso.

Ellen Gasser vs. James A. Gassaway, injunction. Motion by defendant for further time to plead.

Beulah M. Seely vs. Newton E. Adams et al., foreclosure. Decree. Leave given sheriff to amend return.

Thomas R. Soddard et al. vs. Lowber Burrows et al.; chancery. Motion by defendants for further time to plead in all seven cases.

Beulah M. Seely vs. John Williams et al., foreclosure. Leave to sheriff to amend return.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Jerome R. Gorin et al., trustees of James Chapel, vs. Arthur Bradshaw et al.; forcible entry and detainer. Buckingham & Schroll withdrawn from the case as attorneys.

Edna Lindsay and Edna Lindsay, Administratrix, et al. vs. J. M. Decatur, trespass. Suit dismissed as to Edna Lindsay, administratrix, and motion withdrawn to strike declaration from files. Leave to plead extended to second Thursday.

RALLIES IN THE COUNTRY.

Speakers and Dates for Republican Meetings.

Republican meetings will be held at the following points on the dates named:

Forsyth—Monday night Oct. 3—B. F. Funk and W. F. Calhoun.

Argenta—Tuesday night Oct. 4—B. F. Funk and I. R. Mills.

Warrensburg—Wednesday night Oct. 5—B. F. Funk and I. R. Mills.

Boody—Thursday night Oct. 6—B. F. Funk and W. C. Johns.

Mt. Zion—Friday night Oct. 7—B. F. Funk and I. R. Mills.

Oakley—Saturday night Oct. 8—B. F. Funk and W. F. Calhoun.

Blue Mound—Saturday night Oct. 8—I. R. Mills and Edwin Park.

Long Creek—Monday night Oct. 9—B. W. Oneal and I. R. Mills.

Decatur, Thursday night Oct. 6—W. F. Calhoun.

SAILED FOR EUROPE.

U. S. Consul J. A. Barnes and Family on the Ocean.

Word was received in Decatur to-day by relatives stating that Captain J. A. Barnes and family had sailed for Bremen to-day on the steamer *Salle*, of the North German Lloyd line, bound for Chemnitz, Germany, where the Captain will enter upon his duties as United States Consul. The voyage across the Atlantic will be made in less than seven days.

The Mt. Zion Rally.

There was a whoop 'em-up Republican rally at the club barn at Mt. Zion last night. The hall was crowded to the doors, and the glee club was there to sing stirring campaign songs. Effective speeches on the political issues of the day were made by E. W. Oest and John A. Brown. The orators divided the time and more than pleased the crowd by their logic and eloquence. It was the best meeting yet held at Mt. Zion.

Ought to Have Been at Peoria.

Mrs. Eugene D. Boone residing on North Water street, has met with marked success in raising mammoth tomatoes of the Ben. Harrison variety. A sample brought to the office to-day weighs a pound and a half. It ought to have been in the list at the Peoria state fair.

The George Hunsley Sale.

On yesterday the well-known drayman, George Hunsley, sold his entire dray and transfer business to Hammon Bros. & Co., who will conduct it. The new men are all former employees of Mr. Hunsley.

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SATURDAY EVE., OCT. 1, 1892.

"The best way to stop foreign immigration that I can think of," said Judge Clark, "would be to send the Democratic leaders and stump speakers over to Europe in a body and let them make the same calamity speeches there about the poverty, the mortgages, the despotism of capital and the robbing of the poor in this country, and no one will then be foolish enough to come here to better his condition."

To-night some magnificent carpet knight will no doubt introduce Judge Altgeld as the next governor of Illinois, and the snickers will cheer and howl at the declaration. But what of it? Altgeld will be the fourth Democratic candidate introduced that way.

Lyman Trumbull, Carter H. Harrison and John M. Palmer were each introduced to admiring bourgeois aggregations as the next governor of Illinois, and Altgeld will come no nearer being governor than any one of them did. The next governors of Illinois are becoming as numerous as the Democratic generals we now hear so much about, and they are just about as spurious as the imitation generals.

A CORRESPONDENT in a morning paper this morning made an attempt to assure the people that if the Democrats came into power they would stand in no danger, on account of the wildest bank proposition in the Democratic platform as such notes could not be forced upon the people if they refused to accept them. The Democratic party once did force such a currency upon the people and caused them to lose hundreds of thousands of dollars in almost every state of the Union on account of it and what that party did once, it is ready to do again. It never learned anything by experience and the safe thing for the people to do is to keep that party out of power, and then they will have no trouble with their currency or their business.

A DEMOCRATIC paper, the Council Grove Guard, published in Council Grove Kas, does not take kindly to the present attempt to drag the Democrats in that state into a fusion with the peoples party. In a recent issue speaking of W. A. Harris the fusion candidate for Congressman-at-large says:

On Saturday, Judge Harris left Topeka this afternoon for Fort Scott. He defines his position in the present campaign very clearly. While he does not oppose the populist electoral ticket he does not believe that its nomination by the Democrats was straight forward politics. So far as the state ticket is concerned he has not changed the position he took in the state convention sparticle. He is as strongly opposed to its election as any republican can be and will take the stump to assist in its defeat.

I have two reasons for opposing the People's party state ticket, said he. The first is that should it be successful it will bring discredit upon the state and injure us very materially in a business way. From a political standpoint the election of the calamity ticket will result disastrously to the Democratic party in Kansas. It will practically wipe our organization off the face of the map. There are enough place-hunters and office-seekers in the party in Kansas to control it, and if the People's Party state ticket should be elected they would surrender the organization to the victors. There is no doubt that the Democratic party holds the key to the situation in Kansas. Notwithstanding the boasted claims of the Republicans it will be impossible for them to win this year without Democratic assistance, either directly or by remaining away from the polls. There are enough Democrats in the state however, who have the material welfare of the state more at heart than the temporary defeat of their old political opponent. The Republican state ticket must be elected to preserve the Democratic organization as well as to protect the business interests of the commonwealth.

### Honesty and Hypocrisy.

The Democratic press continues to distort the reference made by President Harrison, in his letter of acceptance, to the employers of labor. What the president said was this:

I greatly regret that all employers of labor are not just and considerate and that capital sometimes takes too large a share of the profits. But I do not see that these evils will be ameliorated by a tariff policy, the first effect of which is a severe wage out and the second a large diminution of the aggregate amount of work to be done in this country.

These are the words of the statesman and not of one of that class of demagogues from which comes those who distort what Harrison said. They are words of truth and soberness. That some employers often take advantage of labor and take too large a share of the profits is true as to this country, and it is also true as to England, France and every other country. It has been true in every past age as it is in this, and it is true also that when the Democratic leaders claim that all this would be remedied by a free trade tariff, which has been tried and did not prevent this, such claim is the claim of the hypocrite, the proof of which is found in Cleveland's letter of acceptance, wherein he makes a plea for the so-called monopolist. He says:

We believe the advantages of freer raw material should be accorded to our manufacturers.

Here then, we have the two men contrasted. Harrison regrets that the employer of labor sometimes takes more than his share of profits and is unjust to

those he employs, while Cleveland proposes to pass the bat of freer raw material for the monopolist. He proposes to take the finished product of the cheaper labor of our people, call it raw material, and give it free to the monopolist. Cleveland is after the monopolists vote and influence, and has the impudence to propose to rob the people for his benefit.

### Powderly to Laboringmen.

The march of a laboring man or a skilled workman in a Democratic procession in the interest of a free trade tariff to throw wide open our ports to the importation of foreign goods American laboringmen, and skilled workmen are now making for themselves, is a march to his own funeral. There is no escape from it no matter whether the workman is engaged in an industry directly protected or in any industry which prospers because the directly protected one exists. There are in every Democratic parade, workmen parading against their own interest. They have been made to believe that they can have cheaper goods by reducing the wages of other workmen, while his own wages will remain at the present high rate to which it has been advanced since we had the poverty of the Democratic free trade tariff, which ended in 1891. These men have been deceived by the sophistries of Democratic speakers and the Democratic platform. Mr. T. V. Powderly, who is regarded as standing at the head of labor interests to-day, was once a Democrat, but this year he warns laboring men to shun it, to shun it because it means ruin to American labor. Here is what Mr. Powderly says:

Yes, the Democratic party is the party of the poor man, and if he continues to vote that ticket he will never be anything else than a poor man. Every sentence in the Democratic platform is intended to catch votes; every paragraph is framed to guile the citizen. A party which seeks to obscure its villainous declarations in favor of wild-cat banks behind a whirlwind of dust kind of tariff discussion must be in sore straits.

Laboring men ought to cut out what Mr. Powderly says of the Democratic party in this campaign. They ought to study it well. He has had more time and has made it his business to study the conditions of this campaign, and he declares without equivocation that the success of the Democratic party at the polls means poverty to the working man.

### Duty on Wheat.

A New York dispatch published in the daily papers of yesterday stated that the English parliament contemplated putting a duty upon American wheat, and that pamphlets urging such a policy were being distributed throughout England. This cannot be true. If it is, it is the supreme piece of folly yet attempted by English statesmen, and can mean nothing less than a return to a protective tariff in that country. Free trade was brought about in England on account of the duty on breadstuffs. That country could not produce enough farm products to meet the demands of her consumers—workmen in factories and other callings outside of farming—and the tariffs on breadstuffs became a serious burden to the consumer.

Cobden was a manufacturer and the advance cost of breadstuff, on account of the conditions above stated, caused him to pay his workmen higher wages than he supposed they might be employed at were the tariffs removed from the products of English farms, and he clamored for free breadstuffs. The result was that the tariff not only on breadstuffs, but upon the manufacturers products as well, were removed and a free trade tariff was adopted.

The result, has been a depreciation of land values in England, and in the last 20 years 2,000,000 acres, three-fourths of which carried wheat, have been thrown out of arable cultivation. But the very thing which caused the outcry against tariffs on breadstuffs, exists there to-day in a greater degree than in 1844, when Cobden clamored to make breadstuffs free. To restore the duty on wheat would therefore be impossible or impracticable.

This story may have been gotten out to affect the present campaign in this country; but if this is the object, no intelligent man will be deceived by it. This country with its enormous crops of 1891 only had about 7 per cent. of her breadstuffs to sell abroad, and if, under the McKinley tariff law, we succeed in establishing to the extent of supplying the consumption of tin in this country, the home market will consume all the breadstuffs that we raise and it will make no difference whether England has a duty on wheat or not. This is but another evidence of the correctness of the position of the American protectionist, that what this country wants is to build ourselves up to that point where it is absolutely independent of the foibles and changes in nations abroad, and this we are doing in spite of England and the Democratic party.

### That \$3 Gentleman's Shoe.

George W. Powers found, when down east the largest concerns were making men's shoes out of the same stock, in exactly the same manner, and selling thousands of pairs at almost double the price as this celebrated shoe. Can anyone explain how this can be?

### Three Skilled Workmen.

The H. Mueller Gun company has added one more repair mechanic to its establishment, and is now better prepared than ever to do all kinds of repair work. They make gunsmithing and bicycle repairing a specialty.

# MONDAY AND TUESDAY FLYERS

## JOHNSTON'S, 151 North Water Street.

### BLACK SILKS AT 98c.

One lot of Black Silks, Grosgrain, Faille, Peau de Soie, Armure, Surah and China Silks, usually sold at \$1.25, on sale at 98c.  
Don't fail to buy a dress.

### Storm Serge at 58c.

One lot Storm Serges, Cheviots and Homespuns, in tans, greens, navys and blacks, worth 75c, at 58c.

### Camel's Hair Suiting at 27½c.

One lot Camel's Hair Striped and Mixed Suiting, worth 35c—go at 27½c yd.

### Handkerchief Sale at 12½c.

One lot of White Embroidered edge drawn work, and Lace Embroidered Handkerchiefs, sold usually at 20 and 25c, on sale at 12½c.

### Chenille Portieres at \$3.95.

One assorted lot of Portiere Curtains, (samples), sold at \$6.00, \$6.00 and \$6.50—go at \$3.95 a pair. Only eight pairs left.

### Lace Curtains at \$1.48.

One lot of Fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, sold at \$2.00 and \$2.50—at \$1.48.

### Table Linen at 48c a Yard.

One lot Red Border and Plain Cream Damask, usually sold at 60 and 65c, offered at 48c.

### Window Shades.

See our assortment of Window Shades at 35c, 50c, 60c and 75c. Excellent values.

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SATURDAY EVE., OCT. 1, 1892.  
LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

THE REPUBLICAN WIGWAM.

Address by Hon. Horace S. Clark—Songs and Music.  
Torchlight Parade by the Escort Club—A Democratic Convert Presents the Speaker.

The Republicans were on deck again last night and without any extra effort got up a large and enthusiastic meeting in honor of Hon. Horace S. Clark, who came over from Mattoon on the afternoon train and was met at the train by a committee. At 7 o'clock the Escort Club, about 200 in number, in uniform, assembled at the wigwam with torches, flags, banners and transparencies, with Captain Colladay in command. Max-

ity. If the Democrats would stop it let them send their calamity howlers, their present stump speakers, to England and other countries, and let them repeat their speeches of war, misery and financial distress as they are doing now, then may be immigration will be checked. The address of Mr. Clark was frequently interrupted by applause. At the close it was announced that W. F. Oshoun would speak at the wigwam on Thursday night, Oct. 8th and three others were given for the National ticket.

FUNERAL OF MRS. WELLS.  
The Last Services Over the Remains Yesterday Afternoon at the Residence.

The last services over the body of Mrs. W. T. Wells were performed at the family residence on North Main street yesterday afternoon. Many fragrant and beautiful offerings adorned the rich black casket, and the home was crowded with friends of the family and the deceased. The services were conducted by Rev. W. Penhalligon, and Misses Lizzie Knier, Lucy Keeler and Messrs. R. W. and A. B. Alexander furnished the music. The selections were "Jesus, of My Soul," and "Abide with Me." Penhalligon read the Presbyterian service and offered a prayer. His words were based upon the 14th chapter of the gospel of St. John, and among things he said: "This chapter was favorite with the deceased. If we had a landscape studded with beautiful figures, instead of trying to in the whole we usually upon one or two objects of special beauty and interest. Here there is a golden thread of common-rough the whole of this chapter I tell upon two parts. The first is in the second and third verses: 'prepare a place for you.' The speakers agree that reference was made to the dwelling place of God. The words carry the idea of 'home.' Men have their own characteristics. Throughout the Bible are the dishes characteristics of this home. Christ has gone to prepare. Isaiah in his day said: 'The inhabitant of shall never say I am sick.' That more than all else robs life of its and in some cases makes it almost unbearable is that which is covered by word sickness. Another characteristic of the home is expressed by John when he said: 'There be no more sea,' meaning evidently separation. Possibly there was a thought in the mind of the great when he said: 'In my father's there are many mansions.' He comforting the little band of disciples who were greatly troubled at the thought of his leaving. Might he not meant that the great universe was father's house, and, although he had gone to a point beyond the range of vision, he would still be with in the same father's house. The general thought is contained in the 18th and 27th verses of this chapter. The first says: 'Let not your hearts be troubled. Ye believe in God, believe also in me.' The 18th verse says: 'I will leave you comfortless. I will not leave you comfortless. I will be with you.' The twenty-seventh verse says: 'Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you; not as the world giveth, I give unto you.' Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let it be afraid. Here two sources of comfort. First in ourselves derived from the fact that he has gone to prepare a home and would be with us again. Secondly, the source is in the love of God. In closing Penhalligon said: "And now dear friends what shall I say to you whose hearts are torn and bleeding. No words can beguile you from a loss so great but I cannot refrain from offering the sweet consolation found in this chapter which was for so many years a source of so much comfort to the one who has loved and lost. Dr. Norman Cloud, the great Scotch preacher, on last night on earth was so weak and wasted that sleep came only at intervals, and now lying down, now rising, awakening from a short sleep, he gazed himself back in the old church in his congregation, while his hands were up in benediction, 'The grace of Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.' Beautiful benediction! I give it with you, the love of God, the fellowship of Christ, the comfort of the Holy Spirit! Amen, Amen."

At the conclusion of the remarks the body was borne to the grave, where the services were brief. O. Z. Greene, D. H. Luman, George R. Bacon, T. T. Robinson, V. G. Hatch and A. B. Mills were pall bearers. The funeral cortege was very large and the occasion throughout was made very impressive. Mrs. Wells was beloved by all who knew her, and her death is mourned by all.

The Public Land Question.  
Democrats never tire of charging the republican party with having 'squandered' the public lands. It is true that no republican cares to deny it that the honestest law is as distinctly as the public an injustice. That law has been

opposed to return to that condition by repealing the tax on the issue of state bonds, will sound like mockery and empty promises for a jobe that will be even less successful than the one in which the republican party has been defeated. That law has been

POLITICAL PARAGRAPHS.  
Young men don't go to bed with a conscience, or otherwise as politicians at our own funeral. The democratic party is not the only one of pure political opportunists branded all over with

creative platforms and resolutions. Yet they at once proceed to declare those same resolutions and platforms as they are in fact, and in the name of the people, to be a disgrace to the party.

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The Best,  
The Very Best,  
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given the public an injustice...  
A PHYSICIAN says that by laying the head flat over a table the circulation is so increased that the brain works easily and rapidly. And therefore he recommends this attitude to all writers. In the good old bibulous six-bottle days in England, writers occasionally followed this recipe, but with a slight variation. They laid their head under the table.

is the best. We have found our way given us by the Republican party, a currency which the Demo rate want to replace with the wildest stuff of 50 and 60. Here in America every citizen is independent and prosperous. Men who come from the foreign shores are prosperous and do not want a change, and the people keep coming over. Did you ever hear of ships loaded with Americans going over to Europe seeking homes and employment. There is no way now to stop foreign immigration. We do not object to it except as to qual-

Night School.  
Will open at Brown's Business college Monday, Oct. 8. Sessions Monday, Tuesday and Thursday every evening of each week, from 7 to 9 o'clock. Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting, Arithmetic, Spelling, Reading, Letter Writing, Grammar, etc. For particulars call at the college rooms, Library Block, or address E. P. Irving, Principal. 26-11w  
Turner Suits.  
Goods for the Rega ation Turner Suits for boys and girls new on sale at Lira & Beriggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.



## TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Cardinal Lavergne has returned to his archiepiscopal seat in Algiers, much improved in health.

—The storage tanks of the Eureka Pipe Line Co. at Slaterville, W. Va., caught fire, and 5,000 barrels of oil were destroyed.

—Mr. Gladstone held another cabinet council yesterday and then started for Hawarden, where he will remain until the end of October.

—Count Gersdorff, a member of the Prussian diet, who was arrested about two months ago on the charge of embezzlement, has been released.

—Gen. Carl Muther, the last surviving German officer who took part in the battle of Waterloo, died in Hanover. He was 90 years of age.

—A dispatch from Ironwood, Mich., says that one man, a miner named Abraham Thompson, was rescued after the fatal Norris mine at 10 p. m., yesterday.

—Chas. F. Taylor, of Randolph, Mo., was yesterday sentenced to fourteen years in state's prison. He had been convicted of committing a criminal assault on his own daughter.

—The international division of Sons of Temperance met in the Metropolitan opera house in New York yesterday. There was a large attendance of delegates, men and women.

—Forty carloads of merchandise in the Nickel Plate freight yards at the extreme limits of the city of Chicago were destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss will exceed \$100,000.

—Jos. Coon and Charles Moseley, two prominent ranchmen living near St. Helens, Tex., were murdered Wednesday by two Mexican cowboys named Sixto Flores and Patricio Lopez.

—The timbers in the second floor of the new building 52 and 54 Canal street, Chicago, fell yesterday, carrying with them Donald Rute and Pat Horan. Both men are thought to be fatally injured.

—Mrs. Gibson, in a graceful letter to the New York Herald, has declined the monument the Herald suggested raising by popular subscription to the memory of her husband, the late bandmaster.

—The proprietor of the hotel in Hoboken, N. J., at which Dr. Kertell stopped, and who was reported mysteriously missing, has received a telegram signed by Kertell, saying he was all right and would return soon.

—Three of the crew of the British steamer Twickenham, now at the Delaware breakwater for orders with a cargo of sugar from Havana, are down with typhus fever. The ship is in quarantine, and will be fumigated.

—The famous signal station building at the summit of Pike's Peak was burned Thursday night. While the building was used by the weather bureau, it was also the highest point of observation in the United States.

—Engineer Wise and Fireman Flynn were literally blown to pieces by the explosion of a pusher engine on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad at midnight while standing on a side track near Great Summit, Pa.

—Frank Paulsen, aged 55 years, and a veteran of the war, was found dead in his room in New York, the victim of a brutal and revolting murder. Chas. Kock, a former associate of the murdered man, was arrested on suspicion.

—Advice received in New York state that Colias has joined Crespo's army with a heavy column of mounted spearmen and riflemen, and that the revolutionary chieftain is advancing steadily on Caracas with all his available forces.

—Hector Jonathan Cremlieux, of Paris, the noted dramatic author, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. Cremlieux was born in Paris on November 10, 1828, and has been known as a successful dramatist for many years.

—The manor house of Ferdinand Biefres, a wealthy farmer of Laval county, Montreal, Can., was blown up by giant powder or dynamite. None of those sleeping in the house at the time were injured. The house was completely wrecked. No clue to the miscreants.

## BASEBALL.

**National League and American Association.**

The following games were played yesterday:

**AT ST. LOUIS.**

St. Louis..... 4 0 0 2 0 1 0 \* 7  
Cleveland..... 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-5  
Batteries—Carruthers and Backley; Davis and Zimmer.

**AT NEW YORK.**

Philadelphia..... 1 0 0 0 1 0 8 \* 0  
New York..... 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 0-4  
Batteries—Keefe and Clements; Rusie and Ewins.

**AT BROOKLYN.**

Baltimore..... 1 0 3 0 0 1 0 0 \* 5  
Brooklyn..... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 1-4  
Batteries—Schmidt and Robinson; Kennedy and Daily.

**AT BOSTON.**

Boston..... 1 5 2 0 1 1 0 2-18  
Washington..... 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-3  
Batteries—Nichols and Bennett; Killen and Dowse.

**AT PITTSBURGH.**

Pittsburgh..... 1 0 0 0 0 2 2 \* 5  
Louisville..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-1  
Batteries—Elbert and Miller; Clauson and Merritt.

**AT CINCINNATI.**

Chicago..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-5  
Cincinnati..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1  
Batteries—Hutchison and Kitzinger; Chamberlain and Murphy.

**Scheduled Games for To-Day.**

Cleveland at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Cincinnati.  
Louisville at Pittsburgh.  
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.  
Washington at Boston.  
Philadelphia at New York.

**Shortstop Glasscock.**

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 1.—Jack Glasscock, the old Indianapolis shortstop, arrived here yesterday to consult John T. Brush regarding the action of Von der Ahe in releasing him without any explanation. Glasscock says he had a number of offers, but Von der Ahe claims a right to reserve him for next season.

**Baseball Contracts Signed.**

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 1.—George Van Haltern yesterday signed contracts, one for the balance of this season and the other for next year, and played centerfield for Pittsburgh yesterday. Kelly, who was traded for Van Haltern, says he will not go to Baltimore.

**Broke the Record.**

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 1.—W. W. Windle, of Millbury, broke Zimmerman's two mile world's bicycle record at Hampden park yesterday. He made the distance in 4:28 5-8. Zimmerman's record is 4:37 2-5.

**ANXIOUS TO FIGHT.**

McCaffrey Willing to Stand Up Before Corbett for Four Rounds for a Purse of \$5,000.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 1.—The sum of \$500 has been deposited as a forfeit in the office of the Dispatch by Thomas McCaffrey, a brother of Dominick McCaffrey, in response to the assertion of James J. Corbett, that he could knock out Dominick McCaffrey in four rounds. Mr. McCaffrey says the forfeit has been deposited for a bet of \$5,000, and that the contest can take place at the Manhattan Athletic club, Coney Island, or in Madison Square garden, six weeks after the articles are signed.

## THE IRON HALL.

Chief-Justice Somerby Will Not Appear Before the Grand Jury.

SAYS THE REPORT IS SENSATIONAL.

He Will Do All in His Power to Save the Order from Destruction.—A Sensational Statement by Horace Smith.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 1.—Chief-Justice Somerby, of the Iron Hall, was seen yesterday in reference to the dispatch sent out from Indianapolis to the effect that he will shortly visit that city and tell the grand jury some facts in connection with the Iron Hall matter which will result in the sending of certain persons to the penitentiary.

"I must deny that report," said Mr. Somerby, "as it is purely sensational. I have no knowledge of ever giving any impression that any effort would be made by me to molest any member of the order. I am satisfied to leave the court in full possession of all the justice necessary in the matters concerning the Iron Hall. I intend to do all in my power to save the order from destruction. I am sure that the reorganization plan will be adopted."

### A Sensational Statement.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 1.—Horace Smith, counsel for the plaintiffs in the recent Iron Hall receivership case, made a sensational statement to-day. He said that Somerby drew a check for \$65,000, which was to be given to the plaintiffs if they would withdraw the suit, and that he started out with a bold dash to pay all the certificates of his friends, but was stopped by his own attorneys.

### STRIKERS ARRESTED.

Homestead Strikers Arrested, Charged with Insurrection and Rebellion.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 1.—Detectives last night arrested in Homestead Thomas Crawford, George Rylands, T. W. Brown, John Dirkin and W. H. Baird on an information sworn out by County Detective Belzhoever, charging them with treason against the commonwealth of the state of Pennsylvania. The information was sworn out before Judge Paxton, of the supreme court, yesterday, and charges twenty-three residents of Homestead, including the advisory committee of the strikers, with treason. The warrant says the accused did incite insurrection, rebellion and war against the commonwealth and defied its laws. The five men arrested to-night were brought to Pittsburgh and lodged in jail.

### EDUCATIONAL INTERESTS.

A \$50,000 Building to be Erected at the World's Fair for Their Use.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—The numerous and persistent complaints of the educational interests of the country because a separate building was not provided for the educational exhibit for the World's fair, have had their effect. The directors have recommended the erection of a \$50,000 building, and the executive committee will doubtless adopt the recommendation at its next meeting.

### Collided With a Derelict.

QUARANTINE, Staten Island, Oct. 1.—The steamer Massilia, which arrived yesterday morning from Marseilles, brings 476 steerage passengers. She reports that on September 25, in latitude 40.55 and longitude 19.15, at 2:20 p. m., she ran into the wreck of a large vessel which was floating level with the water, and stove in one of the bow plates, causing the steamer to leak slightly. No other damage. The wreck is dangerous to navigation.

### A Fatal Accident.

ANDERSON, Ind., Oct. 1.—An accident occurred yesterday afternoon on the southern extension of the C. W. & M. R. R., six miles from here, by which Charles Cunningham was instantly killed, James Isham fatally hurt and four other workmen seriously injured. While the men were working with a derrick it caught a freight car and threw it over, falling on the men and crushing them, with the result stated above.

### A Murderer Captured.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Oct. 1.—Agnes Underwood, the young woman who, on last Sunday, murdered Alfred Brown, a printer, at Catletsburgh, nine miles below here, has been captured at Louisville, Ky. She had cut her hair and had a false mustache and men's clothes with her. She will be taken to Catletsburgh to-morrow. She acknowledges she killed Brown during a free-for-all fight on her shanty boat.

### Accepted a Call.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.—Dr. Frederick W. Moore, instructor in sociology in the Wharton School of Finance and Economy University of Pennsylvania, has accepted a call to the chair of Political Economy in the Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn. This is the fourth institution which within six months has sought its professor of political economy from the Wharton school.

### Birthday Spoons.

In our stock of Souvenir Spoons (which embraces everything on the market) are the beautiful Birthday Spoons. Each spoon is set with the name for the month. They are new and very pretty.

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## THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**  
Corner North Main and North streets. Rev. Erasmus B. Calk, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., Monday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday morning subject: "Jesus and Manhood." Sunday night subject: "Gates and Ways." All seats free. Strangers made welcome by pastor and people.

**EDMUND STREET CHAPEL.**—Sunday school at 9 a. m. **GRACE M. E. CHURCH.**  
Rev. H. H. O'Neal, D. D., pastor. Class meeting in Sunday school room at 9 o'clock. Sunday school at 2 o'clock. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. To-morrow will be the first Sunday in the new year. The pastor will preach morning and evening. Subject in the morning: "The Church's Banner." Evening: "The Great Opportunity." Mission Sunday school, 9 a. m., corner North Broadway and Herkimer sts., E. W. O'Neal, Supt.

**U. R. CATHEDRAL CHURCH.**  
458 North Broadway. J. A. F. Kim, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Morning subject: "The Unfailing Guide." Evening subject: "The Fruits of Obedience." Strangers and those not worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend services at this church.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
W. H. Penhaligon, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. In the morning it is a sermon on "Paul and the Gospel." In the evening: "A Servant of the Olden Time." Strangers and others not worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited.

**COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL.**  
Sunday school at 2 p. m. A. G. Wells, Supt. **WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.**  
Corner of Mason street and Haworth avenue. Sunday school at 2 p. m. R. J. Simpson, Supt.

**GRACE MISSION.**  
Rev. F. H. Burrell, minister in charge. Holy communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; evening prayer, 7:30 p. m. All seats free.

**SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH.**  
Rev. M. M. Goodwin, Rector. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Sermon and Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m. Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

**FIRST ENGLISH EVNG. LUTHERAN.**  
Rev. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Communion services in the morning.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.**  
Corner of Church and Ecorse streets. Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "The Festival of a Will." Communion and the reception of members at the morning service. Evening subject: "Paul and Tertullian." Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:15 p. m.

**UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.**  
Rev. W. E. Leavitt, pastor. Today school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. C. U. Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Seats are free. All are invited to attend.

**FIRST M. E. CHURCH.**  
Classes at 9 a. m. Preaching by Rev. Thomas A. Parker at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 p. m.

**SARGENT'S CHAPEL.**  
Sunday school at 2 p. m. Class meeting at 3 p. m. No preaching.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Cor. N. Water and E. North St. Rev. Charles E. Torrey, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning sermon at 10:45. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Morning. The opening of a new year of service as pastor and people. Evening: Night scenes in the Bible—"The Horror of a Great Darkness." Strangers in the city are welcomed.

**CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
Services in the W. O. T. U. rooms, old Presbyterian church. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. M. L. Lova, of Greenfield, Me.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL.**  
Sunday school at 3 p. m. Rooms 14 and 15, second floor, west end of Fenton block. Christian science organization. All interested are cordially invited.

**W. C. T. U.**  
Services held in the basement of the old Presbyterian church at 3:30 p. m. in charge of Mrs. Baker. B. L. Hill of Grace M. E. church will address the meeting. Mrs. Carrie Hill will be organ.

**Y. M. C. A.**  
A gospel meeting will be held at 3:30. All men are invited to attend.

### Sales of Real Estate.

**Chicago Grain Market.**  
The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor.

**LIVE STOCK.**—Estimated receipts—  
Hogs—10,000; strong.  
Cattle—3,500; steady.

	SEPT.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	MAY.
WHEAT	\$ .72 1/2	\$ .75 1/2	\$ .76 1/2	\$ .78 1/2	\$ .80 1/2
CORN	.43 1/4	.44 1/4	.44 1/4	.44 1/4	.47 1/4
OATS	.30 1/4	.31 1/4	.31 1/4	.32 1/4	.35 1/4
FORK					
LARD		11.67	12.02		
BEEF		8.12			
BAKED		10.00			

### A Bona Fide Sale to Quit Business.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

James Veste was in Sullivan yesterday.

Mayor W. E. Chambers is in Columbia, Ohio.

O. F. Fries is in Storm Lake, Ia., on business.

A. O. Bolen is in Danville to-day on business.

Charles Denison left to-day for Ann Arbor, Mich.

W. J. Quinlan will depart Sunday for Baltimore, Md.

George Savage of Chicago is in the city visiting relatives.

Miss Clara Eymann entertained a few friends at tea last evening.

Isaac Pugh has returned from a visit with relatives in Missouri.

Joe McClellan returned from a business trip to Lincoln to-day.

Sherry W. Johns arrived home to-day from the state fair at Peoria.

Miss Cora Riggs has returned from an extended visit to Coalinga, Kas.

Mrs. J. P. Miller and niece of Clinton are visiting relatives in this city.

Dr. Will Barnes visited Cerro Gordo to-day on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hatfield left to-day for their home in McCook, Neb.

Mrs. J. W. Race and daughter, Mrs. O. D. Thomas, returned yesterday from Chicago.

Dr. Henderson, the veterinarian, visited Boddy to-day on professional business.

Philip Kemper has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. H. P. Christie, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of I. A. Buckingham and family.

Mrs. R. Spencer left to-day for Champaign, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Bertha.

Miss Flo Reeme will arrive in the city this evening to visit her sister, Mrs. John B. Freeman.

Mrs. P. B. Provost will leave Monday for St. Louis to attend the fair and visit with relatives.

Patrick Kilkerry and daughter have returned from their trip to Ireland and the continent.

Miss Ella Badenhausen left to-day for Litchfield, where she will visit relatives for several days.

Miss Estelle Spencer left this morning for New York City to attend the institute for Artists Artisans.

Rev. Parker, the new minister at the First M. E. church, is the guest of M. and Mrs. J. F. Roach.

Mrs. W. J. Quinlan and son will leave for Georgetown, Ky., Saturday night to be absent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Imboden returned to-day from Peoria, where they have been attending the state fair.

A. F. Wilson and B. J. Shockey will leave to-night for Jacksonville, to attend the bicycle tournament in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bingham and J. J. Peddard returned to-day from Mackinac.

Theodore Nelson, secretary of the Democratic state central committee, is in city to attend the Altgeld rally to-night.

Joseph Bower, of Alton, Ill., has accepted a position in the watch department at the E. J. Harpstrits jewelry store.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Torrey and Miss Mame Lewis, who have been attending the Christian Endeavor convention at Lincoln arrived home to-day.

Engineer Tom McTaggart will spend Sunday in Peoria. Engineer Lou Bartholomew will take Tom's engine, the No. 381, out on its regular trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith will leave Monday for Chicago, where Mr. Smith will resume his position with the N. T. Oliver New York Specialty company.

James Keefe and son, Emmett, left yesterday for Altamont, in response to a telegram announcing that his daughter, Mrs. Ellsworth Taylor, was dying.

C. W. Devore, chief of the Decatur fire department, will leave Sunday night for Louisville, Ky., where he will attend the national convention of fire chiefs.

Rev. E. T. Athey and family, late of Lexington, Ill., were in the city last night and to-day, guests of Rev. J. A. F. King and family. Rev. A. is the new U. B. pastor of the church at Argenta and will preach there Sunday.

Comrade W. F. Martin arrived home last night from Washington, where he attended the National G. A. R. encampment. In the great parade he had the honor of carrying the head guidon in the lead of the procession, and he brought the guidon home as a relic of the trip.

While at Baltimore on Sept. 18th he marched with the Chicago delegation in the naval parade.

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### Sales of Real Estate.

G. Metzner to Geo. Heine, deed to 80 acres in 11, 18, 8 east—\$5,200.  
William H. Elkins to John L. Elkins, quit claim to an undivided one-eighth of an undivided one-third of 225 acres in 5, 17, 4 east—\$800.  
Geo. P. Blume to John G. Jones, deed to south half lot 10, block 3, H. Robinson's add.—\$850.  
Thomas J. Rinehart to Isaac W. Kile, deed to tract of land in 5, 17, 4 east—\$2,800.  
J. M. Clokey to Charlotte E. Pettyjohn quit claim to lot 15, blk. 10, East Park Boulevards—\$200.  
Cyrus M. Imboden to Frank L. Bloch, deed to lot 6, blk. 1, Bruce's add.—\$625.  
Henry A. Wood to Sannie A. Arebe, lot 8 in block 3 of Crowder & Cornthwaite's addition to Decatur—\$425.  
J. F. Blackburn to Clint Webb lot 8 in block 4 of Bandy's addition to Decatur—\$3,100.

### Clerks and Employees

Should take advantage of the opportunity afforded them by the night school at Brown's Business college, to learn bookkeeping, short hand, type writing penmanship, arithmetic, spelling, etc. Over 100 attended last year. The facilities for this year are increased; the expense is less. For particulars call at the college, Library Block, or address E. P. Irving, Principal. 26-d1w

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STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Chuchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr5-d1w

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 844. d1w

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros.' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders. e81w

THE funeral of Helen Nagushafski, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nagushafski, is in progress this afternoon from the residence on North Oakham street.

GENT'S Neckwear, Gent's Woolen Shirts, Gent's Underwear, Suspenders and Half Hose, all at reasonable prices, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d4w

TO ACCOMMODATE those who desire to stay at St. Louis for the Vailed Prophet parade the Wabash railway will run a special train from St. Louis to Decatur, leaving St. Louis at 11 p. m. Tuesday, October 4.

AT the Boodhouse fair grounds last night 153 box stalls were destroyed by fire. Lady Almont, of Mexico, Mo., and a stallion belonging to Jimmy Bros., Carrolltown, Ill., were burned to death. The origin of the fire is unknown.

THE firm of I. N. Irwin & Co. took possession of the S. M. Irwin Drug company's stock to-day. Mr. S. M. Irwin is the retiring gentleman and he has associated himself with other parties for the purpose of manufacturing medicine under the firm name of Irwin, Kirkland & Co.

THE last will of William A. Price has been admitted to probate. The estate consists of personal property and \$800 in bank, which is bequeathed to the children of the deceased. The executor is J. A. Meriweather, whose bond is for \$1700, with O. M. Allison and B. O. McReynolds as sureties.

MISS BLACKMAN has returned from her trip to Nebraska, and can again be found at the CHRISTIAN SCIENCE ROOMS, Fenton Block, by any desiring treatment, or wishing to confer with her upon this subject. Hours, from 10 to 12 a. m., 3 to 4 p. m. The regular hour for the Sunday service, 3 p. m., has been resumed. All cordially welcome. 28-d6\*

### Knights of Pythias!

You are notified that we have the E. of P. Souvenir Spoons. If you are a K. P., you will want one or more for your ladies. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

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**THE LAXATIVE GUMDROPS.**  
These gumdrops are the best thing for children, for they move the bowels gently without pain. They are pleasant to the taste, for they are made more carefully than the ordinary gumdrop of the confectioners. No one can tell by the taste that they contain medicine. The result is, however, always certain, although some constitutions have to take more than others. While with some two to four drops are sufficient, others will find it necessary to take from five to ten. The effect is as marked the second day as it is the first, and finally the dose can be decreased until it is necessary to take only one to secure the needed action. They are put up in boxes selling at ten and twenty-five cents, the large size are 25 cents and contain from 36 to 40 drops. Write to us if your druggist will not order them for you. SYLVAN REMEDY CO., Peoria, Ill.

**GRAND OPERA HOUSE.**  
ONE NIGHT,  
**WEDNESDAY, OCT. 5.**

The Favorite German Dialect Comedian.  
**GEO. C. STALEY,**  
In his successful Comedy-Drama  
**A ROYAL PASS.**  
See the Great  
**LOCOMOTIVE RACE!**

**2--REAL WORKING ENGINES--2**  
The Greatest Railroad Scene ever Produced in this City.  
A SUPERB COMPANY OF PLAYERS,  
PICTURESQUE COSTUMES,  
NEW AND CATCHY SONGS.  
Prices:—25c, 50c, 75c; Parquet, \$1.  
The sale of seats will begin Monday morning, Oct. 3, at the Grand Opera House Pharmacy.

**WE WISH**  
To Emphasize the Fact  
That our stock in general, our Millinery, Dress Goods and Hosiery in particular, are very much above the ordinary in quality, and our prices will meet the views of the most careful purchasers.  
Miss Annie McDonald is in charge of the Millinery Department.  
Best light, largest stock and Lowest Prices in Central Illinois.

**S. G. HATCH & BRO.,**  
151 East Main Street.

**Master in Chancery's Sale.**  
STATE OF ILLINOIS  
In the Circuit Court.  
James Connaghan vs. Mary Hollingsworth et al.—No. 10. Bill for Partition.  
Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county in the state of Illinois, entered at the September term of said court, A. D. 1892, in the above entitled cause, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on  
**Saturday, October 15, 1892,**  
at the hour of one o'clock p. m., at the foot of the court house stairs on Water street, in the city of Decatur, in said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described real estate, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twelve, township sixteen, range one east of the third P. M., subject to a mortgage of \$1,000 and interest thereon given by Anna J. Hall to William Jacobson & Co., on the "new-eight" interest therein, and also subject to the claim of Mary Hollingsworth of \$400 per year per year during her life upon a one-third interest therein.  
Taxes or Sale.—One-third cash in hand on day of sale, one-third in one year and one-third in two years from said day. Deferred payments to bear 6 per cent interest per annum, and to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold.  
Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 1st day of October, 1892.  
JAMES J. FINN,  
Master in Chancery,  
I. D. WALKER, Solicitor,  
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**KIRK'S**  
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**TAR SOAP**  
Healthful, Agreeable, Cleansing.  
Cures  
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**AMERICAN FAMILY SOAP.**  
Best for General Household Use.

**BARGAIN COLUMN**

**For Sale. For Rent. Wanted. Etc.**  
[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]  
**FOR SALE**—A farm of 55 acres, with fair improvements, containing 35 miles east of Decatur. This farm is well adapted for fruit and gardening. For price and terms apply on the premises, or to Samuel C. Davis, Long Creek station. sep2-d2w  
**FOR SALE**—Two-story frame house, new; 7 rooms, bath, closet, good cellar, furnace, electric, well, barn, etc. Four lots, covered with small fruits, will sell two or more, located at 715 Peabody St., Decatur, where call. sep2-d2w  
**PENSIONERS**—Sign full name three times on right side on October 4. Bring vouchers to me. I will seal and mail for a small consideration. Will be in my office by that day, 34 East Second St. P. O. R. SPORE, Pension Attorney and Notary Public. 241w  
**HUBBARD PLACE**—Is only across the street from King's Orchard, where lots are \$200. The street cars will pass by. Large lot, 180 feet deep, for \$350. They are the latest investment on the market. Apply to John A. Brown, or Fritchett & Wansley. sep2-d2w  
**WANTED**—At the Hotel Long, one woman for laundry work. 28-d1w  
**WANTED**—Five or six cheap boys at Lian & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company. 38-d1w  
**PARTIES** wishing Guitar Lessons, call on or address R. H. PILCHER, 335 East Condit street. Lessons given after 5 p. m. 38-d1w  
**PENSIONERS, TAKE NOTICE**—I am now located over Olmstead's Bank, across the street from the postoffice. Will be in early morning of the 4th to execute pension vouchers. N. S. HALL, pension attorney and notary public. 28-d1w  
**WANTED**—At once, a boy 18 or 19 years old for a milk and cream route. Call at once, H. TAY, South Water street. 28-d1w  
**WE** offer agents big money, in exclusive territory. Our sales sell at sight in city or country. Agents first in field actually getting rich. One agent in one day actually clearing \$10.00. So call our Catalogue free. Address ALPINE SAFF CO., No. 360-371 Clark Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. sep2-d2w  
**FOR SALE**—My Victor safety bicycle. May be seen at the East End Gallery, 1079 East Eldorado street. 28-d1w  
**TO TRADE**—One first-class bicycle to trade for a carriage or light wagon. Call on R. J. Stratton, Gas Works office. 28-d1w  
**TO RENT**—New house of four rooms, cellar and our houses, on West Charles street. Apply to N. L. COPE, 448 West Mason street. 28-d1w  
**FOR SALE**—Good mile south of Emory on the Illinois Central railroad, a good two-story house, with cellar, well, tiled, and a good barn, orchard and well. Price, \$580 all acre. sep2-d2w  
**FOR RENT**—Garden farm of 22 acres, two miles east of Decatur, on the Wabash railroad. The property has a house, well, stable and outbuildings. The land is in No. 1. Apply to J. B. Race, Decatur, Ill. sep2-d2w  
**DO YOU NEED SPECULATORS?**—Miss Mary Nesbitt, M. O., graduate of the Chicago Ophthalmic college, has opened rooms at No. 220 North Park street, where she is prepared to serve those who are in need of properly adjusted spectacles. Miss Nesbitt is a thorough and scientific optician, and is fully equipped with the latest devices for properly adjusting lenses so as to correct the most intricate error of vision. In the process of fitting glasses she considers the pupil of the eye on the center of the lens, and all lenses are focused and she then overcomes the difficulty, so common in the adjustment of spectacles, of causing the lens to operate as a prism. Miss Nesbitt also adjusts the frames to the face. Those in need of the services of a thorough optician would do well to give a call. sep2-d2w  
**FOR RENT**—A large, well-improved farm for stock raising, near Decatur, Ill., one hour from good market, close to school house, living spring. Rent to a responsible party. sep2-d2w  
**FOR SALE**—A fine farm of 100 acres, 3 miles east and 3 miles south of Decatur, Ill., with particular call at the farm or address SAMUEL MCCANN, Marion, Ill. sep2-d2w  
**R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder.** Office over Citizens' National bank, third floor. Rooms 1 and 2  
**WANTED**—10,000 lbs of chickens, 5,000 lbs of butter and 5,000 eggs. All kinds of feed and corn. D. R. DUNBAR, 125 North Water St. aug1-d1w  
**W. A. BOYD**—House and Sign Painter. Graining, Calicoing and Paper-hanging. 147 South Water St. Satisfaction guaranteed. july28-d1w  
**WANTED**—Board and rooms for the students of Brown's Business College. Send particulars by mail, or call at the office, 125 North Water St. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. E. P. IRVING.  
**HOUSE CLEANING**—Headquarters for house cleaning, Wall Paper hanging and Upholstery of all kinds at 125 East First street. Montgomery & Hammons. Satisfaction guaranteed. dec2-d1w  
**J. B. EHRHART**—House and Sign Painter. Ornamental and fresco work a specialty. First-class, and satisfaction guaranteed. may28-d1w  
**COMPETENT** Spanish teacher. Address No. 243 West Macon street, Decatur, Ill. july28-d1w  
**CHICAGO SECOND HAND STORE**—All kinds of old furniture at half price. All kinds of Cook stoves at bargain. Parlor stoves from \$5 up, chairs 25c, beds, wardrobes, lounges, and every kind of furniture at low prices. All stock bottom prices, and everything bound to sell. EDWARD BOHRMANN, Manager. 243 East Main St. opposite Boehman Bros. sat1  
**LADIES HATH WORK**—In every style worn and ventilated, silk, fringed, and made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty. MRS. BOWMAN, Merchant street, over Stue's clothing store. 128-d1w  
**WANTED**—Second-hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargains in second-hand goods. WALKER & CHANCE, 125 and 127 North Main St. aug2-d1w  
**MONEY TO LOAN**—In large or small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm machinery, or household goods. Call and see me before placing your loans. Office 22 North Water St., above Peabody, Burrows & Co's bank. jany1-d1w  
**HERE'S YOUR CHANCE**—For sale, at from \$25 to \$300, ten choice lots in Powers' addition, near the new school house. july28-d1w  
**THE DECATUR NURSERY** will save you 50 per cent on trees, small fruits and other plants. All stock guaranteed. Don't be misled by foreign agents. Come direct to the Decatur Nursery, West King street, near fair grounds, Decatur. feb2-d1w  
**MONEY** to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm machinery, or household goods. Call and see me before placing your loans. Office 22 North Water St., above Peabody, Burrows & Co's bank. jany1-d1w  
**NOTICE**—Have disposed of my entire business to Hammon Bros. & Co., all of whom were formerly in my employ, thoroughly acquainted with the business with the wants of my customers, and having received from me the highest and upright young men competent to manage all business entrusted in their care. As the thirty-seven years have closed, and this is the winding up of my affairs in the dry line, I desire to thank the patrons for their patronage for the past year, and they have shown me during the time I have been in business here, and trusting that they will treat my successors with as much courtesy as I have received at their hands. I am, yours truly, oct1-d1w  
J. B. BROWN, EDWIN FARR, **BROWN & FARR,** ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
OFFICE—Front rooms over Decatur National Bank, Decatur, Ill.  
Sale of Real Estate and bonds negotiable and all estate bought and sold

**How to Get a Farm!**

**I HAVE FOR SALE** 30 splendid quarter sections of land within 4 to 12 miles of Imperial, county seat of Chase county and railroad. The soil is good, and rich and the land smooth. You can raise all and spring wheat, corn, oats, hay, barley and vegetables. The soil will produce the same amount, per acre, that Illinois soil will produce, and you can till 160 acres out of every 160 acres. The price is such that every farmer can afford to rent it. He will pay for the land we offer for sale. Price from \$10 to \$3 per acre. One-third down, balance in 2 years, with interest at 8 per cent per annum, a cured by mortgage. If you buy 160 acres, a note will be given purchaser for \$16,000. A note will be given you for \$16,000. If you will write me and show you this land. You will never have such a chance again to secure a home at such low prices. R. B. RANDALL, Sec., 1001 N. W. Lincoln, Neb. Reference, First National Bank. june20-w3w

**Administratrix' Notice.**

**Estate of John Stickle, Deceased.**  
The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of John Stickle, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, do hereby give notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 27th day of September, 1892.  
MARY A. STICKLE, Administratrix.  
sep20-d2w

**THE SOUTH BY DAYLIGHT**—A Special Oct. 25—Rate Excursion via the Illinois Central. The Illinois Central will run on the above date from points on its lines in Illinois and Wisconsin, a special excursion south for lake-makers and others, leaving at 7:30 a. m. from New Orleans, and return north via Jackson, Miss., and Jackson, Tenn.; the trip from Memphis to New Orleans to be made over the E. N. C. and E. R. entirely by daylight, with several stops en route during which excursions will be received with true southern hospitality and special facilities offered for investigating that region. Through tourist sleeping cars will be run to New Orleans, running from Dubuque, Ill., through Freeport, Mendota, La Salle, Bloomington and Centralia, excursions via Chicago or other points not otherwise connecting with these through sleeping cars, to take them at Centralia, at 8:30 p. m., Oct. 25th, for a double berth in the sleeping car. One fare for the round trip, but 75 cts. per person for a berth in the sleeping car. For reservations, enclose \$3.75, covering the trip to New Orleans, and address Mr. J. F. Merry, Asst. Gen'l Pass. Agent, I. C. R. R., Manchester, Ia. For an illustrated circular, giving full particulars, and for specific rates to points south on the E. N. C. and E. R., write to your home ticket agent or address R. B. BOWEN, Gen'l Nor. Pass. Agent, I. C. R. R., 124 Clark St., Chicago. 508 d10w-3

**Sealed Bids.**

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of North Morgan street, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, from the north line of East Cerro Gordo street north to the north line of Mason street, excepting that portion of said street lying between the north rail of the Chicago and North Western railway and the north rail of the north track, on the right of way of the Wabash Railway company, according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto passed by the city council of the city of Decatur, on the 15th day of August, 1892, will be let to the lowest and best bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 30th day of September, A. D. 1892, for the purpose of making a contract for said work, including labor, material, and all other matters necessary to make the same.  
All bidders will be required to furnish six samples each of the top and bottom brick to be used in paying before the bid will be considered. The quality of the brick with the price per square yard, will be considered together in determining the lowest and best bidder. All samples of brick to be used shall be filed with the city clerk and properly designated.  
One hour or certified check in the sum of \$200 to accompany each bid.  
All bids will be submitted to the city council which conform to all requirements, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated September 20, A. D. 1892.  
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.  
sep20-d1w

**Sealed Bids.**

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the erection and construction of a filter, together with all machinery, apparatuses, appliances, and materials, necessary for the purpose of filtering water from the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. m. of Tuesday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1892; that bidders will be required to furnish plans and specifications, with bids for filtering plant with a capacity of filtering 1,000,000 gallons of water in 24 hours, at all times and in all seasons. The plans and specifications must include a substantial brick building, with substantial iron roof, with all necessary and convenient parts complete, with sufficient space occupied in the building for the construction thereof and additional filters of capacity for filtering an additional 1,000,000 gallons of filtered water in 24 hours at all times and in all seasons; all connections from filter to reservoir, a first-class steam pump, with pumping capacity of at least 3,000,000 gallons of water in 24 hours at all times and in all seasons, placed on a foundation, which said foundation will be furnished by said city, in or near the present pumping house, while said pump will be required to pump water at least 20 feet above the surface of the river at low water mark, and the filter to be situated about 80 feet in height above the surface of the river at low water mark, and the filter will be located on the river bluff north of the present water works plant, at a point to be designated by the city.  
All bids must specify the cost of the filter complete, with all necessary water connections to the outside of the building and all the necessary machinery, apparatuses, appliances, and materials, and the construction of the filter inside of the building, including all steam engines and boilers and connections if any are required for the operation of the filter.  
Bidders are also requested in addition to the above for a pump with a capacity of three million gallons of water every 24 hours, with all the water and steam connections to pump and filter.  
All bids are required to contain a guarantee of what the filter will accomplish and do in and in connection with the filter, and the quantity of river water at all times and in all seasons from the filter without the use of coagulants and the length of time that will be given to said city for the purpose of testing the filter.  
The quality of the filter, the utility, durability and usefulness and all other matters in any manner pertaining to the construction and maintaining of a filtering plant will be considered together in receiving and approving bids and in making a contract for the same.  
The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required to erect and construct the filtering plant together with all machinery, apparatuses, appliances, and materials required therefor, and filter and all material shall fully meet the specifications and requirements herein contained and if not specified the same shall be of a first-class quality and suitable for the uses and purposes intended.  
The city council reserves the right to permit the water and light committee of said council to open and examine any and all bids after four o'clock p. m. of October the fourth, A. D. 1892, and before the meeting of the city council.  
All bids received after the time specified herein will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Decatur, Illinois, September 18th, A. D. 1892.  
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.  
sep18-d2w

**Proposals for Furniture.**

Sealed bids will be received for providing the furniture for the Macon county court house at the office of W. H. Starr, at Decatur, Ill., until 2 o'clock p. m., Friday, the 24th day of September, 1892, for the purpose of furnishing the furniture and materials and construction. No changes of specifications will be allowed after bids are filed. All articles to be made of quarter-sawn white oak, and the material shall be of the best quality and suitable for the uses and purposes intended. A schedule of the furniture required may be obtained on application at the office of W. H. Starr. Bids will also be received at the office of W. H. Starr, at Decatur, Ill., on Wednesday, October 20, 1892, for the purpose of furnishing and shelving for the different rooms of the court house. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
W. H. STARR, Chairman Committee on Public Buildings.  
sep18-d2w

**THE FAIR**

**Weaver & Lewis.**

**SPECIAL BARGAINS.**

Silver-Plated Knives and Forks,  
\$1.75--Never sold for less than \$2.00.  
Hammocks at 75c, 98c, \$1.15, \$1.35,  
3 pair Seamless Socks for 25c.  
Large Oil Paintings, this week, \$1.25.  
Picture Frames from 20c up.  
Pear's Soap, 2 for 25c.  
Clothes Wringers, \$1.98, \$2.15  
Curtain Poles, all complete, 23c  
Rugs at 85c--Very Cheap.  
Gauze Vests, 10c--Good Quality.  
Scrub Brushes, 9c.  
Shoe Brushes, 10c.  
Hair Brushes, 10c.  
Table Oil Cloth, 20c per yard.  
Shoe Dressing, 10c per bottle.  
Mrs. Pott's Irons, only \$1.25 So

We can make you any kind of Picture Frame you want at Lower Prices than you ever had.  
Bring in your Pictures and have them framed--won't cost you very much.

**THE FAIR,**  
159 East Main Street.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

By virtue of one execution on transcript from the docket of F. B. Knapp, J. C. of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William Blank and Joseph Grass, and against W. H. McKown and Arabella McKown, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) in block eleven (11) of Henry Wood's Walnut Grove addition of lots to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as the property of said W. H. McKown and Arabella McKown, which I shall offer at public sale at the foot of the west staircase of the circuit court room in Macon county, in said state, on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.  
This 26th day of September, A. D. 1892.  
PETER PERL, Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.  
By HARRY K. MIDKIFF, Deputy. sep24-d3w

**Administrator's Notice.**

**Estate of Robert Green, Deceased**  
The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Robert Green, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, do hereby give notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 14th day of September, 1892.  
JEROME R. GORIN, Administrator.  
sep14-d3w

**Administrator's Notice.**

**Estate of Myron W. Tinkler, Deceased.**  
The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Myron W. Tinkler, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, do hereby give notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 7th day of September, 1892.  
FRANK KINKLER, Administrator.  
sep7-d3w

**FINAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF ILLINOIS**  
In the matter of the estate of Sarah E. Tinsler, deceased.  
To Rammel C. Chaffetz, Creditors, Distributors and Unknown Heirs of Said Estate: You are hereby notified that on October 11, 1892, I will present to the judge of the county court, to the county and state aforesaid, my final report in settlement of said estate and ask to have the same approved and to be discharged from the duties thereof.  
WM. H. HARNHEIMER, Administrator.  
oct11-d3w

**WALTER & WALTER**  
Loans and Investments.

On hand for all classes of loans. A full line of loans and investments in Real Estate. We have city property and farms at the west, also good acre property adjoining growing cities near Decatur, suitable for planting. All classes of investments. Negotiable paper bought and sold. Come and see us. 125 Merchant street.  
WALTER & WALTER

**Administrator's Notice.**

**Estate of Henry Hammill, Deceased.**  
The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry Hammill, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, do hereby give notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this 29th day of September, 1892.  
C. H. GARNER, Administrator.  
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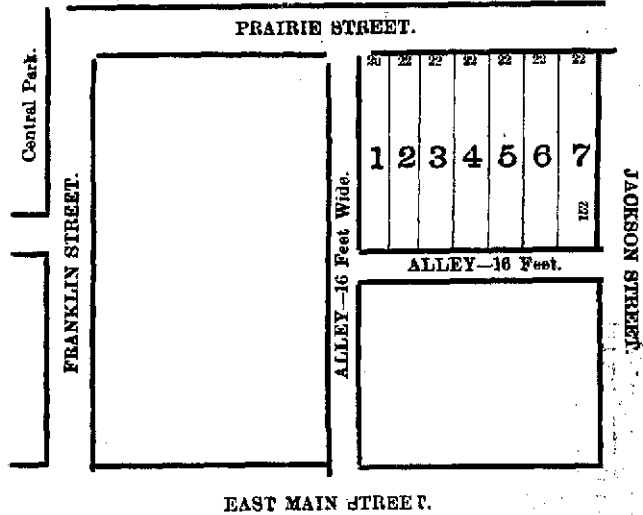
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### Shall "Wildcat" Banking Be Revived?

In 1893, the following section was, by act of congress, placed on the revised statutes of the United States:

"Section 5112. Every national banking association, state bank, or state banking association, shall pay a tax of ten per centum on the amount of notes of any person or any state bank or state banking association, used for circulation or paid out by them."

Having through great tribulation, and always in the face of fierce opposition from the democrats in and out of congress, succeeded in giving the people of the United States a national circulating medium, which stood the test of war, and was well calculated to meet the requirements of peace, this legislation was wisely added, as a safeguard against the return of the irresponsible monetary systems in vogue before and during the first year of the war. The financial system adopted, at the suggestion of Col. E. D. Taylor, of Illinois—whom the president called to Washington on purpose to consult with on the subject—proved to be one of the wisest measures ever inaugurated, the good results of which exist in a permanent form in all the multimodal avenues of trade and traffic to-day. A currency absolutely safe, uniform in value, and backed by every material resource and interest in the land might well challenge the respect of all good people, and per contra the enmity of the democrats, who, afraid of the "centralization," liable to grow out of "Paternal" money, but really with a view to knock out such an unwarrantable interference with the Calhoun-Davis heresy of state rights, have continued, since the war, their tactics during the war, never letting an opportunity escape to attack and discredit republican money. At their late convention they put in their platform the following:

"We recommend that the prohibitory 10 per cent. tax on state bank issues be repealed."

More of democratic devilry was never crowded into so small space. Nor does the mischief end by the mere journal recommendation quoted. A bill is now before congress, introduced by Congressman Harter, for the repeal of the statute in accordance with the democratic desire and design, which if done would open up to American stability in trade a Pandora's box of evils fearful to contemplate.

### Where Does the "Calamity" Come In.

The prosperity of the farmer is so intimately associated with the welfare of every other class, that anyone wishing other than the very best results to the farmer would be guilty of conspiring against himself—for just as certain as effect follows cause, so certain does hard times come to all, when it strikes the farmer. He it is who bears the heat and burden of the day, and as all depend on him for a living, he should hold a high place on the roll of merit. That he had a pretty hard time of it in pioneer days and old time surroundings all will admit, and that the hardest times of all hard times were the free trade periods of the past—from a return of which may the "Good Lord deliver us;" but that it is getting better with the agriculturists of our country is easily demonstrated by the following tables:

PRICE OF THINGS FARMERS SELL.			
	1818.	1890.	Inc. Per Cent.
Wheat, per bushel...	\$ 0.44	\$ 1.00	127.3
Oats, per bushel...	0.15	0.25	66.7
Corn, per bushel...	0.20	0.32	60.0
Butter per pound...	0.12	0.24	100.0
Eggs, per dozen...	15.00	40.00	166.7
Fay, per bushel...	0.30	0.40	33.3
Farm labor, per m. h.	8.00	20.00	150.0
Average increase...			114.4

PRICES OF THINGS FARMERS BUY.			
	1818.	1890.	Dec. Per Cent.
Wheat, per 100 pounds...	\$18.00	\$ 8.00	-55.6
Ground cloth, per yd...	15.00	4.00	-73.3
Woolen cloth, per yd...	10.00	3.00	-70.0
Cotton cloth, per yd...	0.30	0.08	-73.3
Calico, per yd...	0.25	0.06	-76.0
Salt, per barrel...	0.60	0.50	-16.7
Average decrease...			-70.4

PURCHASING POWER OF FARM PRODUCTS.			
	1818.	1890.	Per Cent.
100 bushels wheat would buy pounds...	350	5,250	1500.0
100 bushels corn would buy yards...	14	14	100.0
100 pounds butter would buy pairs...	4.5	6	33.3
1 cow would buy yards cotton cloth...	60	600	1000.0
1 ton hay would buy yards calico...	50	182	264.0
1 month farm labor would buy barrels...	14	40	185.7

It goes without saying that this general increase of prosperity is largely attributable to the protective principles of the republican party, and the American farmer should be the last man to lend a listening ear to the seductive free trade Delilah's, now so actively seeking to enslave them.

### How It Affects Farmers.

"The prices received for farm products subsequent to the passage of the act of 1890, show an average increase of all crops of 18.67 per cent. The percentage of increase on many important articles—corn, for instance, at 47 per cent.—was greatly above this average. I believe that in no period of equal length in the history of the country has there been such a marked improvement in the condition of any class of people as can be shown, using the language of the senator from Missouri by irrefutable testimony, to have taken place in the condition of the farmers in this country since the passage of the act of 1890.

"It is quite natural for all classes of people to believe that their condition ought to be and might be improved, but the assurance displayed in this chamber in the attempts to convince the farmer, in the face of the facts which I have recited, that he is suffering evils as the result of tariff legislation, has no parallel."—Senator Aldrich.

There is an element of moral sublimity about the method in which Gov. Fifer steps on the rostrum—and without subterfuge, apology, or evasion, challenges the closest criticism of his official acts, in a way that elevates him still higher in the estimate of his friends and disarms prejudice or hostility on the part of his political opponents.

The Alabama election puts the democrats where they have about the described choice of roads—with no convenient woods for cover.

### Two Theories of Taxation.

It is unquestionably true that the existing tariff schedule raises the price of many articles to the American consumer. In exceptional instances this increased cost may equal the full amount of the duty levied. In a very much larger number of cases the increase is but a small percentage of the duty paid, and men who have given the subject careful study and investigation claim that on a majority of the duty-paying imports the cost to the American consumer is not at all increased—that is, the foreign manufacturer and importer actually pay the duty out of their own pockets for the privilege of selling their goods in the American market. The greater part of the customs collections are on articles that may be classed as luxuries rather than necessities—on goods that are purchased by the wealthy and not upon those bought by the middle classes or the poor. In this connection it is well to consider how "a tariff for revenue only" would affect the price of imported goods. Leading democrats in various sections of the country have differed materially when called upon to schedule the articles upon which they would levy a tariff duty, but in the main they agree that the list should not be a long one and that it should be mainly made up of articles not made or produced in the United States. Presumably tea, coffee, spices, sugars and the like would go upon the list. All of these articles go upon the tables of the poor as well as the rich; are used by the wage-worker as well as by the millionaire. It is safe to assume that the price of these non-competitive articles would at once advance to the full extent of the duty, and that the tariff would in reality become a tax. The man who honestly attempts to reason from cause to effect will almost inevitably conclude that the republican way is better than the democratic way—that the burden of the tariff is much less under a protective policy, and when levied upon articles that come in direct competition with American products or are in the nature of luxuries, than it would be under the plan to levy duties upon non-competitive articles that would be, to a very large extent, classed as necessities.

### Cutting the Rope.

A man, while being drawn to the surface, from a deep well, found a slight hitch in the machinery, which occasioned a short delay. "Draw me up!" he exclaimed, "or I'll cut the rope." Foolish and dangerous as was the threat of the man in the tub, he may be voted a philosopher, when compared with the farmer who deems the free trade heresy as a panacea for all the ills that farmers are heir to. When he votes to break down his home market by cramping or forcing the discontinuance of manufacturing, he is hacking at the rope to which his prosperity is attached, and a repetition of his suicidal blows will surely land him at the bottom of the well, in utter hopelessness of ever returning to the daylight of prosperity. A farmer cannot make much headway in life merely raising what he can, for his own use and comfort. A market for his surplus product is a necessity, and that market is best assured by having as many people as possible obtain a living by some other method than tilling the soil. Hence it is that mechanics, citizens and merchants are the best friends of the producer, and the more permanently they are employed, and the better wages they obtain, the better it is for the farmer. But, if, in an unguarded moment, he foolishly cuts the rope, by closing up the factories and workshops, with a free-trade vote, the inevitable result will be idleness of his neighbors, destruction of his customers who are unable to buy, not being able to earn anything, his surplus unsalable; and, as a final result, these mechanics, his former customers, are forced to go to farming as the only means of making a living, thus increasing the production of all farm products for which the market has already been destroyed.

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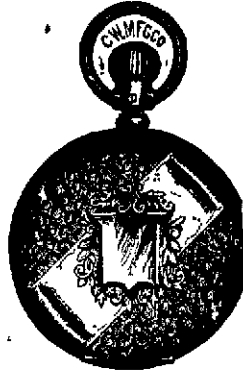
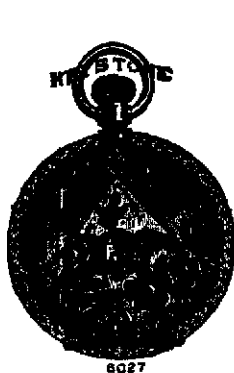
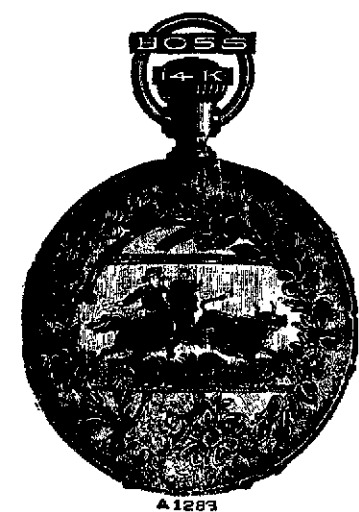
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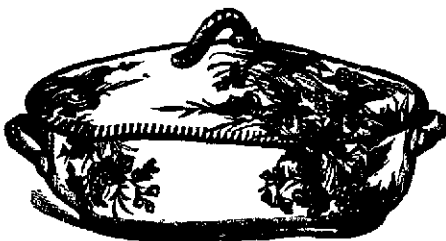
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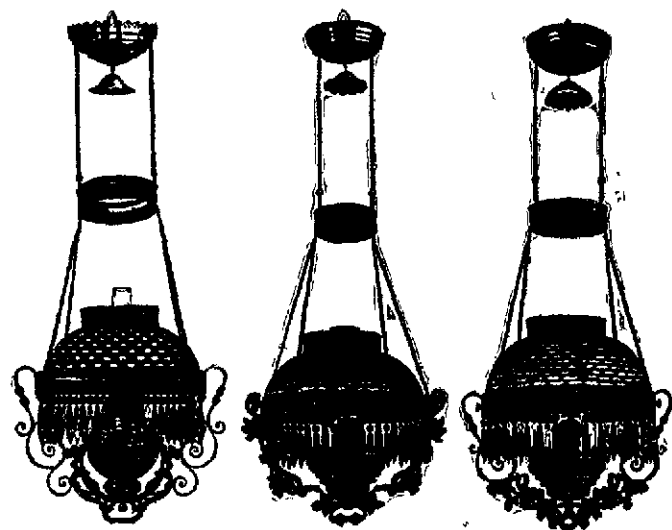
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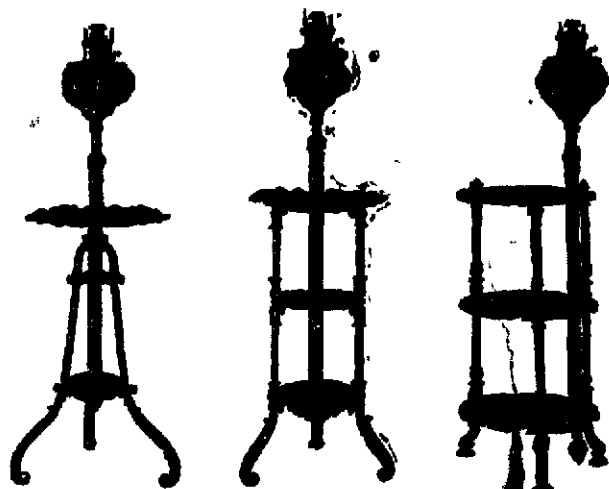
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The missing Bradley boy was found last evening on East Eldorado street and returned to his parents at the Fox residence on West Cero Cero street.

To-day marriage licenses were granted Samuel Garrison and Lida D. Bateman, both of Centralia, and Elsie H. Shimer, of Waco, Texas, and Miss Alice M. Haer, of Decatur.

The American Brewing Co., St. Louis, makes their "A. B. C." bottled beer especially for household use; it is brewed of the best Wisconsin barley and Bohemian hops and has a beautiful amber color. Nothing better for family use.

**BANK ROBBERY.**

Desperate Thieves Kill Five Men for Plunder.

(SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN.)

St. Louis, Oct. 5.—A gang of robbers made a run on two banks at Coffeyville, Kansas, this morning and got away with a big pile of money. Five men are reported killed.

**PERSONAL MENTION**

Miss Mattie Babcock is convalescent. Mrs. Harwood is in Chicago visiting relatives.

W. C. Keeler left to-day for Chicago on business.

R. S. Bullard, of Mechanicsburg, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. J. G. Stanfield returned to-day from St. Louis.

Dr. W. M. Otto visited Sangamon yesterday afternoon.

Alf and Mrs. W. F. Shade are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Frank Grimes of Chicago, is in the city transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Housum, jr., are visiting relatives in Salem, Ill.

"Mrs. Col. Madden, of Springfield, is in the city visiting Mrs. C. A. Foster.

Elmer Groves, who has been quiet all with malaria fever, is convalescing.

Ronan, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hagenberger 515 East Edmund street, Oct. 5, a son.

Aug. Hildebrandt the east end druggist, departed to-day for Chicago on business.

Charles B. Waggoner witnessed the Valedictory parade last evening at St. Louis.

Will Monte and family occupied their new home to-day, in the Collar Pad factory addition.

Fayette meetings this evening. The new president at the Methodist churches will be present.

Ed. Pasold, of Joliet, is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. John I. Pasold, of West Macon street.

Mrs. Harry Starr will leave to-night for Leavenworth, Kansas, where she will visit Mrs. G. B. Biddle.

L. L. Livingston arrived home this morning from St. Louis, where he visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy R. Stanley.

Miss Nannie F. Holland, who has been in the city visiting relatives, will leave tonight for her home in Kansas City.

A. F. Wilson, Ben Shockley and Lute Shellabarger will not return from Jacksonville until the latter part of the week.

Charles Martin and family have taken possession of their new home in Riverside Park, recently owned by R. B. Tyson. C. W. Pringle has the Georgia Minstrel troupe down in Old Virginia. What heard from the troupe was at Richmond.

Mrs. Jennie Hays, Grand chief of the Pythian Sisters in St. Louis, Ill., where she will institute a Pythian Sister Temple on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Geo. S. Savage, of Chicago, and Miss Marie Freeman, have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman at Paradise Farm near Mowqua.

Attorney A. H. Mills left for Lincoln this afternoon with his two children who will visit their grand parents for a time. Mr. Mills will return home to-night.

W. F. Calhoun and Hae Singleton left last night for Chicago to attend the convention of the Missouri State W. C. T. U. convention.

H. H. Smith arrived home to-day from Springfield, Mo., where he delivered two speeches before the Missouri State W. C. T. U. convention.

Miss Gertrude Hanna, of Seattle, Wash., who has been in the city visiting relatives, will leave to-day, after a short visit there she will return to Decatur to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith.

## THE MAOON RALLY.

Hon. J. J. Brown of Vandalia and Other Speakers will be Present.

Chairman W. H. Willoughby of the Republican organization at Macon was in the city to-day completing arrangements for the party rally to be held at Macon on Saturday October 16th, afternoon and night. It will be the great demonstration of the campaign in that part of the county and will bring out a big crowd. The Monitor band, of Decatur will furnish music for the occasion.

The speakers who will positively be present to address the crowds will be Hon. J. J. Brown, of Vandalia, Rev. E. W. Oneal, of Decatur, Gen. C. W. Pavy, candidate for State Auditor, and I. R. Mills.

There will be a torchlight parade at night in which campaign clubs from Decatur, Macon, Blue Mound, Pleasant View, Milan, Mowqua, Mt. Zion and Wheatland will participate.

It will be a great time for the Republicans at Macon Oct. 15. Remember the date.

**Death of Henry Traugbber.**

Henry Traugbber, an old resident of Mt. Zion township, died at the residence of his son, A. C. Traugbber, in that township, Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Uncle Henry Traugbber, by whose name he was known, had lived within the bounds of Mt. Zion township since 1829, at which time he moved there from Kentucky. At the time of his death he was over 89 years of age, having been born January 9, 1803. After he came to Illinois he married Nancy Smith. Six children were born to them, Robert, A. C., Ellen, Mary, Rebecca and Lisa. These have all died except A. C. Traugbber, at whose home Uncle Henry died, and Mary Dunning, who resides with her husband at Humbolt, Kan. His wife died about 25 years ago. Henry Traugbber was widely known during his life-time, and was loved by everybody. He was a farmer and stock raiser, and succeeded well in life in accumulating property, which he divided among the heirs before his death. He was a consistent member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. The funeral took place to-day from the residence of A. C. Traugbber, conducted by Rev. N. M. Baker and Rev. W. L. Bankson. The interment was at Mt. Zion cemetery.

**To Recover the Child.**

Sheriff Perl returned last evening from Forsyth, where he went on official business. He had with him a writ of habeas corpus, which he proposed to serve on Mr. and Mrs. Luckenbill. It seems last summer Mr. Luckenbill visited his father-in-law, John Ward, who resides near Panna, and that on his departure for home his wife's twelve-year-old sister, accompanied him. Ward has visited Forsyth several times and each time has called for his child, but he claims his son-in-law always hid her away and refused to allow her to accompany her father home. Finally he came to Decatur and secured a writ of habeas corpus. The Sheriff has visited Forsyth on two different occasions, but on both visits the home of Luckenbill was locked and the family absent. Luckenbill, on the other hand, claims that his father-in-law is an habitual drunkard and entirely unfit to have charge of this child. Sheriff Perl will visit Forsyth again to-morrow. The case will probably come into the courts for settlement.

**The Knabe Piano Musical.**

Over 200 members and friends of the W. C. M. A. club filled the assembly room at the club house last night to enjoy the artistic musical given by the talent of the city to dedicate the elegant Knabe grand piano recently purchased for the use of the club. The ladies had taken a special interest in the musical and as a consequence the attendance was quite large. The program as published in these columns was faithfully observed, the artists including Miss Lizzie Knapp, Miss Field, Miss Fridley, Miss Weaver, Miss Henkle, Miss Hamscher, Mrs. Templeton, Mrs. Oneal and Mrs. Harris. All acquitted themselves with their usual grace and won golden opinions from the appreciative and cultured audience. Some encores were given. Mutually and socially the dedication was a delight and a season of enjoyment to all present.

**Hon. B. F. Funk at Argenta.**

The Republicans of Friends Creek township and vicinity had a rallying good meeting in the hall at Argenta, last night with Mr. Sheppard as the chairman. The hall was packed and there was scarcely room enough for the speakers on the platform because of the crush. Hon. B. F. Funk, nominee for congress, spoke for about 30 minutes and commanded the closest attention of his hearers who were chiefly farmers. His speech was well received. A. H. Mills spoke for over an hour on the tariff, the federal election bill and other points. He was warmly applauded throughout.

This evening Mr. Funk and I. R. Mills will speak at Warrensburg.

**Choir Festival.**

The choir chapter of St. John's church will give a musical at the residence of Mr. John K. Warren next Thursday evening. A most attractive program has been prepared. The Mandolin orchestra have been engaged for the entire evening. Mrs. Anna Berry Templeton, the favorite soprano, is to be one of the soloists, and the Arden quartette will also be present and add their well-merited distinction to the program. Miss Wood, of London, a distinguished soloist is expected. The program will be published to-morrow. The admission will be 25 cents. The ladies of the chapter will furnish refreshments at the close of the musicals.

**Amel Baker was Paid \$50.**

In referring to the absence of B. F. Platt in these columns last evening it was stated that Amel Baker, who had cashed a \$50 draft for Platt, was out that amount. It is learned that the draft when first presented was not paid, but some time after the demand was made, B. E. Benson, father-in-law of Platt, came to Mr. Baker and paid him fifty dollars. Mr. Baker has the money he advanced and has nothing further to say.

**Public Library Removal.**

After this evening (Wednesday) the Library will be closed for removal to the new room in Library Block. All persons having books out will please keep them until the Library is re-opened, which will be in two or three weeks. Notice will be in the paper on these dates.

## FRANK SMITH BACK IN JAIL.

### A Smooth Ex-Convict and Jail Breaker Behind the Bars.

Claims to Know Who Robbed Linn & Scruggs' Store—Reed and Bell in Indiana.

Deputy Sheriff Midkiff arrived in Decatur this noon, having in custody the ex-convict and thief, Frank Smith, alias Albert Bowers, alias John Gieson, familiarly known to the police as "three-fingered Jack." Smith is one of the four toughs who escaped from the Decatur jail. John Reed and Harri Bell went with him, and the three men got away. Smith will now be carefully guarded and will be forced to stand trial for committing a robbery at the Smoak House.

It took a requisition from Governor Fisher to get Smith, and Deputy Midkiff had considerable red-tape business to go through with at Terre Haute before he could get his man.

**SMITH'S CAPTURE.**

Smith was nabbed by accident at Terre Haute. During the races the city had four detectives in incognito clothes on duty. All had read over the descriptive cards in the chief's office, describing parties wanted for various offenses. One of the cards gave the description of Smith, Bell and Reed, who had broken jail at Decatur. Near the race track one of the detectives happened to notice a party of six tough-looking strangers standing about. Special notice was paid to Smith who seemed to the detective at a glance to answer the description of a man wanted somewhere. The whole gang was carted off to jail in a patrol wagon. The officers were certain that Smith was wanted in Decatur, and Midkiff, in response to the telegram, went after him. Before Midkiff arrived, however, the men arrested with Smith were turned out of jail. In the gang were Bell and Reed, a fact that was afterwards admitted by Smith. Bell had fooled the Terre Haute officers by growing a beard and Reed was heavier than described in the card. But the card had been mislaid and a careful comparison could not be made after the parties were arrested.

On the way to Decatur Smith said that on the day that he and Reed and Bell got out of jail, they went down back of the jail on Washington street, thence down Franklin street, across the Illinois Central railroad to the Maffie bridge, going over the river into the timber, where they remained in hiding until dark, when they resumed their flight to Indiana. The three men had \$2.50 in cash, money that had been smuggled into the prison by the wife of Bell, by friends, and they used it all until they could resume "business." The three jail breakers had been traveling together all since they got their liberty. They had visited big meetings at Indianapolis, Terre Haute, Paris, and other points and were at Elwood, Ind., the day Midkiffley was there to debate the big tin plate works. They were working the crowds for stuff. All got good clothes, but while Smith was well dressed and looks like a dude, he didn't have a dollar when arrested. He had spent his cash on wine and women at Terre Haute. On leaving Terre Haute Smith said he could lay his hands on Bell and Reed, but he would not give Midkiff or the detectives a pointer. He refused to betray his pals.

**KNOWS WHO ROBBERED LINN & SCRUGGS.**

Smith on the train told Midkiff that he knew who robbed Linn & Scruggs' store some months ago, when about \$1,000 worth of silks were stolen. He said he found out all about that silent job while he was in Indiana, and personally knew one of the burglars who did the work. But he utterly refused to give any names or drop any pointer that would lead to the arrest of the thieves. There is no doubt but that Smith knows who robbed Linn & Scruggs. There ought to be some way to squeeze a pointer out of him.

**HEARD OF DANION.**

While at Terre Haute Deputy Midkiff learned that Banton the negro barber, who robbed the residence of Dr. Walcott, had been seen in that city "stealing craps" during the races. He was accurately described by negroes who had seen him and who had been his companions in games. Only a few days ago Banton was seen at Terre Haute. That city appears to be a favorite resort for thieves and thugs. There are probably so many there that the officers find it impossible to recall at a glance the card description of the criminals running the streets of the city.

On any big occasion at Terre Haute a Decatur officer who knows the men wanted might go over there and bag them all in one day.

**"A Royal Pass" To-Night.**

George C. Stanley, the favorite German dialect comedian, will be seen to-night at the Grand. Many changes have been made in the play. The locomotive race in the third act is said to be one of the greatest pieces of stage mechanism ever produced. In this scene the spectators see for the first time two locomotives running on iron tracks at a speed that seems impossible, the engineers and firemen at their posts, sparks flying, steam escaping, whistles shrieking and bells ringing. There are not the little painted engines you have been used to looking at on the stage, but the really, large, hand-some locomotives, majestic in their strength and beauty, carrying real people and not painted dummies. Among other special features Mr. Stanley will sing two new songs, "Eye To Baby" and "Watching the Children Play."

**State of Real Estate.**

David B. Shelley to V. W. Benton, lots 5 and 6, blk. 1, Foxcroft & Burrows add. to Decatur—\$200.

Ann H. Shelley to E. D. Hall, lot 21, blk. 4, Suburban add. to Decatur—\$295.

Mary F. Burdette to T. M. Cline, deed to lot in Rolling Mill addition—\$700.

Robert M. Bailey to Mrs. Iva Ashburn, deed to tract of land in 2, 10, 11 east—\$1400.

Laura Street to James Boyles, deed to lot 5, block 20, Carver's addition—\$750.

David N. Moore to Charles E. Schroll, deed to lot 18, block 1, Bellevue Place—\$900.

Ann H. Shelley to John H. Matter et al, deed to lot 7, block 3, Suburban add. to Decatur—\$300.

William Montgomery to Henry Lang, deed to lots 10 and 11, block 5, Moore's addition to Blue Mound—\$100.

Orson Alexander to Charles A. Cline, deed to lot 1, block 1, Bellevue Place—\$900.

## CIVIL CASES SHUT ON—NO REPORT FROM THE GRAND JURY.

But little interest is taken in circuit court business just now because of the trial of civil cases. The criminal docket is set for next Monday. To date the grand jury which has been in session since court opened has not returned any bills, but they may bring in a big batch of indictments any day.

**CHANCERY DOCKET.**

Emmett M. Meriwether vs. William T. Chambers et al for foreclosure. Report of Master approved. Decree.

Mary J. Null vs. Samuel Null; divorce. Decree granted. Evidence heard and decree granted.

Mary E. Bradshaw vs. Arthur J. Bradshaw; divorce. Evidence heard by court and decree granted.

Minnie J. Hornbeck vs. Margaret Hornbeck et al; divorce. Report of Master approved. Decree. G. W. Loring, David T. Helms and Jerome Smallwood appointed commissioners.

**COMMON LAW DOCKET.**

I. D. Stine vs. Henry F. Starbuck, appellant; appeal. Appeal dismissed for non-compliance of rules to refund docket fee and proceedings awarded.

The case of Smith vs. Banner is still on trial before the court.

**Crop Conditions.**

The continued perfect weather has greatly advanced the late corn, so that, except in a few localities, it is practically planted in being gathered, and much of it is already in shock. The reports indicate that the yield will range from 50 to 67 percent of an average crop, while in some localities where the grain was planted early and under favorable conditions, especially on high and well tiled ground, the yield will be much greater.

The most discouraging report comes from La Salle county, the correspondent stating that it is doubtful whether more than 25 percent of an average crop will be secured. In the northern and central divisions, wheat seeding is nearing completion, and in many counties it is beginning to come up, but needs rain. In the southern counties the continued drought has greatly retarded this work, owing to the hard and dry condition of the ground. Pastures and meadows would be greatly benefited by rain. In many sections, owing to the poor condition of the pastures, the farmers are compelled to feed their stock. The fruit crop, especially apples, is practically a failure throughout the state. The McHenry county correspondent sends the following report: "Such an entire failure of apples was never known here before. As a rule there is, literally, not an apple."

**EDISON WINS.**

An Important Suit Decided in Favor of the Edison Electric Light Co.

New York, Oct. 5.—An important decision was handed down yesterday morning by the United States court of appeals in the case of the Edison Electric Light Co. against the United States Electric Light Co., in an appeal of the latter from the decree of the supreme court. This decision granted an injunction, with an accounting for profits and damages, on a patent issued on an electric lamp January 27, 1880. The decree is confirmed by the court of appeals, and judgment thus given in favor of Edison.

The matter at issue involved nothing less than the monopoly of the manufacture of incandescent lamps. The decision means that the patent involved, dated January 27, 1880, broadly covers the construction of the incandescent lamp at present manufactured and used for ordinary household electric lighting.

The decision is to the effect that the patent is valid, and that the Edison company has always held, containing the basis of incandescent lamps. The court finds that any known form of such lamp that can be made as far as can now be seen, is an infringement on the patents held by the Edison company, and that no other company or person can make such lamps, except under license obtained from the Edison company.

**Before the Grand Jury.**

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 5.—The cases of murder, conspiracy and aggravated assault on the person of James Miller, who died in the Reception hospital on September 28, showed that the man died of Asiatic cholera.

**Mrs. Harrison's Condition.**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Dr. Gardner said to-night that Mrs. Harrison had not been as comfortable during the past forty-eight hours as she had been in the last few days. There was, however, no material change in her condition.

**The Florida Election.**

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 5.—Reports to United Press estimate Mitchell's majority at more than 50,000. The people's party vote is disappointing, and will be under 50,000. The entire democratic ticket is elected.

**What Is the Matter With Bayard?**

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 5.—Ex-Secretary of State T. F. Bayard has cancelled his western campaign engagements. No reason for doing so is given.

**Prompt Payment.**

To-day Dr. A. L. Collins, local surgeon for the Modern Woodmen Accident association, paid T. H. Vest \$17.30 for nine days' disability. The money was paid in just six days from filing of proof.

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### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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ARTICLES	Op'n	High	Low	Closing
WHEAT—				
Oct.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/2
Dec.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/4	76 1/2
May.	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/4	82 1/2
CORN—				
Oct.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/2
Dec.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/2
May.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/2
OATS—				
Oct.	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Dec.	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
May.	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/4	36 1/2
POULTRY—				
Oct.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Dec.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
May.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
LARD—				
Oct.	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/2
Dec.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/2
May.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
JOINTS—				
Oct.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/2
Dec.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/2
May.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/2

**REMARKS TO-DATE.**

Wheat (all grades) 58¢; contract 42.

Corn (all grades) 58¢; contract 42.

Oats (all grades) 58¢; contract 42.

Hogs 10.00-5 to 10¢ higher.

SPRINGFIELD TO-MORROW.

Wheat 58¢ Corn 58¢ Oats 58¢ Hogs 28.00.

Chicago cables report European markets higher.

Illinois state crop bulletin says, continuous perfect weather has advanced corn. Except in a few places, it is out of way of frost. Yield will average from 50 to 60 percent of average.

Missouri reports blight, drouth and injury to wheat.

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